काम हो रहा है और अनट्रेंड तथा केजुअल लेबर से काम किया जा रहा है (**व्यवधान**)

ठाकुर जगतपाल सिंह : विदाउट सुपरविजन काम हो रहा है और केजुअल लेबर से काम लिया जा रहा है। (**व्यवधान**)

श्री ब्रह्म दत्त : मान्यवर, रिफाइनरी के अन्दर कोई काम बगैर सुपरविजन के नहीं होता है ।

श्री सभापति : अगर कहीं हो रहा है तो बता दीजिये ।

श्री ब्रह्म दत्त : अगर कहीं हो रहा है तो इसको देखा जाएगा (**व्यवधान**) मैं खुद इस बात से सहमत हूं कि यह बहुत खतरनाक मामला है इसमें इस प्रकार की बात नहीं होनी चाहिये ।

SHRIMATI VEENA VERMA: I would like to know whether the Inquiry Officer has also investigated the possibility of sabotage, if so, what is the result?

MR. CHAIRMAN: Question Hour is over.

WRITTEN ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

इलाहाबाद में खराब टेलीफोन सेवा

*324. **श्री सत्य प्रकाश मालवीय** : क्या संचार मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या सरकार को इलाहाबाद में खराब टेलीफोन सेवा की जानकारी है; और

(ख) यदि हां, तो इस संबंध में क्या-क्या उपचारी उपाय किए जा रहे हैं ?

संचार मंत्री (श्री वीर बहादुर सिंह) : (क) इलाहाबाद की टेलीफोन सेवा सामान्यतया संतोषजनक है ।

(ख) सेवा में आगे सुधार लाने के लिए, दीर्घकालिक उपाय के बतौर 2700 लाइनों के कार्य अवधि समाप्त स्ट्रोजर एक्सचेंज को 1989-90 के दौरान इलेक्ट्रानिक एक्सचेंज में बदला जा रहा है । इसके अलावा, मिशन बेहतर संचार के अंतर्गत, इलाहाबाद की टेलीफोन सेवाओं में सुधार लाने के लिए निम्नलिखित उपाय किए जा रहे हैं :—

(1) आंतरिक और बाह्य संयंत्रों का और विशेष रूप से एक्सचेंज जंक्शनों का व्यापक परीक्षण करना ताकि अंतर एक्सचेंज के कार्यकरण में सुधार आ जाए ।

(2) उपभोक्ताओं के पुराने उपकरणों को उन्नत किस्म के नए टेलीफोन उपकरणों में बदलना ।

(3) उपभोक्ता लूपों को इंस्यूलेटेड ड्रप वायर में बदलना ।

(4) वितरण प्वाइंटों (डी पी) को पुनर्व्यवस्थित करना ।

(5) भूमिगत केबिलों का प्रयोग करके ओवरहैड एलाइनमेंट को कम करना ।

Increase in the Limit of House Building advance for employees of Public Sector Undertakings

*326. SHRI GURUDAS DAS GUPTA:
SHRI CHATURANAN MISHRA:

Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the House Building Advance and the rate of interest thereon for the employees of the public sector undertakings on Central Government pay-pattern since the implementation of the Third Pay Commission's recommendations have been on the same lines as applicable to the Central Government employees;

(b) if so, whether Government have issued any fresh instructions to revise the limit of the House Building Advance of such employees whose wage revision is pending with the High Powered Pay Com-

mittee and the advance limit still continues to be on the pre-revised basic pay-pattern whereas the advance limit of their counterparts after revision in the Central Government has already been enhanced/ modified; and

(c) if not, what are the reasons therefor and by when the limit of advance is proposed to be suitably revised?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI J. VENGAL RAO): (a) to (c) Probably the Hon'ble Members are referring to the House Building Advance Schemes formulated by the pubilc enterprises who hitherto follow Third CPC DA pattern. Since the question relating to scales of pay and allowances and other perquisites in respect of these employees had been referred to the High Power Pay Committee, liberalisation in terms of the House Building Advance Schemes could not be carried out by these enterprises, as these are issues which have to be decided as part of the overall wage/pay packet.

Under the existing instructions, the rules governing the House Building Advance to the Central Government employees could be taken as a model for adoption by the public enterprises. The responsibility for marshalling resources for financing House Building Advance Scheme rests exclusively on these enterprises and no budgetary support is required to be extended. Alternatively, it has been suggested to the public enterprises that they could encourage their employees to secure advances from specialised agencies like the LIC, HDFC and subsidise the interest to the extent of the defference between the rate of interest charged by these specialised agencies on HBA and the rates charged by the Central Government under its HBA Rules. Now that the recommendations of the HPPC are available, appropriate decisions on the recommendations made thereon would be taken by the Government. The Board of Directors would be authorised to revise the existing HBA Schemes within the policy parameters laid down by the Government.

Proposal for setting up of a colour film and colour paper manufacturing unit

*327. SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR BIRLA: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) what is the annual projected domestic demand for colour films during the current and the Eighth Five Year Plan periods;

(b) what is the percentage of annual foreign exchange outflow due to steep rise in colour film imports during the last three years, year-wise;

(c) whether there is any proposal to put up a colour film and paper manufacturing unit to conserve the increasing outflow of foreign exchange; and

(d) if so, what are the details thereof stating the sector in which the unit is proposed to be set up and the cost involved?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI J. VENGAL RAO): (a) The annual projected domestic demand for colour films (Roll films) for the year 1989-90 is around 1.5 million square metres (m. sq. m.) and that for 1993-94 almost 3 m. sq. m.

(b) Details on import of films in rolls, sensitized unexposed perforated or not (cinematographic coloured) during 1983-84 to 1985-86 are given below:—

Year	Qty. (Thousand Metres)	Value (Rs. lakhs)
1983-84	17704	1294·43
1984-85	14690	1662·47
1985-86	15067	1652·12

(c) and (d) M/s. Pradeshiya Industrial & Investment Corporation of U.P. Ltd. (PICUP) have been issued a letter of intent for the manufacture of photo-sensitized goods for a total capacity of